

Cantata To Be Presented At Evangelical

The junior and senior choirs of Central Evangelical United Brethren church present a cantata, "The Risen Christ," Sunday evening at 7:30 in the church. The choir program will be directed by Mrs. Irene Sage, and accompanied by Mrs. Paul Findley. Soloists are Mrs. Irene Sage, Mrs. Katharine Boelter, Raymond Leake, the Rev. H. Wesley Roloff, Mr. Eddie Findley, and Miss Doris Cline.

In the morning services, W. E. Bowen, superintendent of the Central Church School, will be in charge of the regular Church of Youth Hour at 9:30. At the regular morning worship service, at 10:50 a. m., the pastor, the Rev. H. Wesley Roloff, will speak on the theme, "Christ is Risen!" Special musical selections will be presented by the choir at this service and new robes will be presented and dedicated. The choir robes have been made possible through a generous gift from the Ladies' Guild of the church and by individuals of various members and friends.

Central Church will be host to the traditional three-hour Good Friday service, April 4. The service will begin at 12:00. Various Torrance pastors will speak on the "Seven Last Words" of Jesus. Special music will be furnished by the churches.

The church is located at the corner of Marcelina and Arlington, directly west of the Torrance Postoffice.

Temple Menorah Adopted As Name Of Jewish Group

At a recent meeting of the South Bay Jewish Community Center, 112 1/2 N. Catalina ave., Redondo Beach, Temple Menorah was adopted as the name to be used for the religious branch of the organization. "Menorah" in Hebrew means "Bearer of Lights."

Rabbi William H. Rosenblatt will officiate at a Passover Dinner and service to be conducted at the Center, Friday, April 4, at 8:30 p. m.

The last meeting of the Sisterhood of Temple Menorah was held Wednesday, March 19 at 12:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Samuel Greenberg.

REDONDO BEACH ACCIDENT VICTIM RECOVERING

Mrs. Amy De Bone, 518 South Catalina ave., Redondo Beach, recently injured in an accident in Torrance, is now convalescing at her home after a three-week sojourn at the Seaside hospital in Long Beach, and may now receive visitors.

APRIL 25 & 26 ?

Sabbath Service Observed At Temple Menorah

Special Sabbath services were observed Friday night, March 28, at Temple Menorah, 112 1/2 N. Catalina ave., Redondo Beach, with Rabbi Wm. H. Rosenblatt officiating. Rabbi Joseph Jasen of Los Angeles preached the sermon on Isaac Mayer Wise, founder of the liberal Jewish movement in America. These arrangements were part of a national observance of Isaac M. Wise Memorial Sabbath in which liberal Jewish congregations from coast to coast participated.

The Bar Mitzvah (confirmation) of Jerry Sweedler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sweedler of Redondo Beach, took place during the services. Rabbi Moshe S. Amine prepared him for his confirmation and more than 100 persons witnessed the beautiful traditional ceremony. Following the services Mr. and Mrs. Sweedler held a reception in the club rooms and many lovely gifts and telegrams were presented to Jerry. This proved to be a most momentous occasion, being the first Bar Mitzvah presented at Temple Menorah.

A regular meeting of the Sisterhood of Temple Menorah was held Wednesday, April 2, at the home of Mrs. Phil Markell, 1101 Monterey, Blvd., Hermosa Beach. Hostesses, Mrs. Wm. Sloan and Mrs. Allan B. Shupps served refreshments at 12:30 p. m. and a business meeting followed. A report was made by the president, Mrs. Mitchell Kanter, who with her committee, attended a joint meeting of Sisterhood leaders at Wilshire Blvd. Temple in Los Angeles last week.

'Crucifixion' To Be Given At Christian Church

Highlighting the Easter season at First Christian Church will be the Good Friday oratorio at 7:30 p. m., and Easter Sunday worship service at 10:40 a. m.

Under the direction of Lin W. Brannum, the Chapel choir, a youth choir, will present Stainer's "Crucifixion" for Good Friday evening. Soloists are Ben Prime, bass; Ralph Prime, baritone; and Burdette Brimley, tenor. Members of the quartette taking part are Dean Lougee, Fred Lincoln, Ralph Prime, and Bill George. Mrs. Ben Prime is the accompanist.

Text of the oratorio is taken from the Gospel of John.

The Chancel choir, directed by B. L. Brimley, will bring the Easter message in song at the Sunday morning service. Ronald Menmuir, minister, will speak.

Easter Cantata Slated Sunday At Methodist Church

First Methodist Church, Torrance, will be the scene Sunday afternoon of an Easter cantata, being offered by the church choir free to the public.

The cantata will be "The Song of Triumph," by Edward W. Norman, and it will start at 4:30 p. m.

Dorothy Hodges, choir leader, will direct the presentation.

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